



REMARKS

The Applicant realizes that there has been extensive revisions to this application in this amendment. However, the substitute specification, new claims and revised drawings have been submitted simply to make the application clearer to aid the Examiner in examining the application. No new matter has been added to the originally filed application. Applicant believes that due to the extensive revisions in this amendment a red lined version of the specification, claims and drawings would not be helpful to the Examiner. However, if the Examiner wishes that these be provided, Applicant will gladly do so.

In the event the Examiner has any questions regarding this amendment, applicants' attorney respectfully requests the courtesy of a telephone conference to discuss any matters in need of attention.

If there are any fees properly due with respect to this paper, please charge them to
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Respectfully submitted,

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